

Shipping.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM SHIP CO.
NOTICE.
The "CHINA,"
Capt. Geo. E. Lane, will sail
from Hongkong for Yokohama
and San Francisco, on the 26th instant, at 3
P.M. precisely.
No Freight received after Noon of 24th
instant.
Passengers are requested to be on Board
at 2 P.M. day of sailing.
W. F. BOWMAN,
Agent.
Hongkong, February 15, 1868. 25fo

FOR SAIGON.
The A. French Schooner
"HUBBARD,"
Master, will have
immediate despatch, and takes
Cargo at cheap Rates.
Apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.
Hongkong, February 14, 1868.

FOR LONDON.
The A. British Ship
"CHAS. SZEL,"
556 Tons Register, will load at
Whampoa.
For Freight, apply to Messrs Deacon &
Co., Canton, or to the Underwriter.
TURNER & Co.
Hongkong, February 15, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY.
The A. French Clipper-ship
"OCEAN,"
Captain HUGHES, will have
early despatch as above.
For Freight, apply to
RUSSELL & Co.
Hongkong, February 12, 1868.

FOR SYDNEY & MELBOURNE.
The British Ship
"JOSHUA BATES,"
Capt. SYDNEY, will have im-
mediate despatch for the above
Ports.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
ROZARIO & Co.
Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The British Ship
"CHELSEA,"
804 Tons Register, Lower, Mas-
ter, having the greater part of
her Cargo engaged, will have quick de-
spatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.
The A. Amer. Clipper-ship
"JAMES GUTHRIE,"
830 Tons Register, JOHNSON,
Master, having the greater
part of her Cargo engaged, will have quick
despatch as above.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co.
Hongkong, January 15, 1868.

FOR NEW YORK.
The A. Hamburg Bark
"CERES,"
LORENZEN, Master, 588 Tons
Register, will load at Whampoa
for the above port, and has room for a
limited amount of Cargo; for which, apply to
OLYMPHANT & Co.
Hongkong, January 6, 1868.

Notices to Consignees.

THE following cases have been landed
and stored at the risk and expense of
the Consignees, who are requested to take
immediate delivery.
Ex "Tiger," 5th December.
1 Basket Feathers.
RT 531. 1 Case Paper.
B. 531. 1 Case Paper.
LF 1702. 1 Case Rifles.
Ex "Cambridge," 6th February.
RG 38. 1 Case Merchandise.
RG 12. 2 Cases Feathers.
de Grancey. 1 Case Boots.
G. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.
Hongkong, February 12, 1868.

P. M. S. S. CO'S STEAMER "CHINA,"
from SAN FRANCISCO AND
YOKOHAMA.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above
named vessel are requested to send
in their Bills of Lading to the Underwriter
for countersignature and take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo not called for within 24 hours after
arrival will be landed and stored at risk and
expense of Consignees.
GEO. F. BOWMAN,
Agent.
Hongkong, February 15, 1868. 25fo

"FIERY CROSS" from LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above
named vessel are requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for
countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
will be landed and stored at risk and
expense of Consignees.
JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.
Hongkong, February 15, 1868. 25fo

"CARMARTHENSHIRE" from
LONDON.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for
countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
will be landed and stored at risk and
expense of Consignees.
HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.
Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

"SUOMI" from GLASGOW.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel are requested to send in their
Bills of Lading to the Underwriter for
countersignature, and to take immediate
delivery of their Goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
will be landed and stored at risk and
expense of Consignees.
ARNOLD, KARBURG & Co.
Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

"VERGEN DEL CARMEN" from
MANILA.
CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-
named Vessel, will please send in their
Bills of Lading for countersignature, and
take immediate delivery of their goods.
Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel
will be landed and stored at risk and
expense of Consignees.
AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.
Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
WE have authorized Mr. CRAIG BUNN
to sign our Firm from this date.
DREYER & Co.
Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
A. D. MITCHELL in our Firm, ceased
on the 31st day of December, 1867.
A. FERGUSON & Co.
Hongkong, January 3, 1868.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date Mr. GEORGE F.
BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the
Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this
Port.
S. L. PHILIPS,
Agent.
Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. A.
FERGUSON in our Firm ceased on the
1st day of November, 1866.
A. FERGUSON & Co.

NOTICE.
THE Business will be henceforth carried
on under the same Name by the Un-
derwriter.
A. D. MITCHELL,
J. D. MEYERS, and
HENRY PEHRS.
Hongkong, December 16, 1867. de 16-68

NOTICE.
MR. THOMAS PYKE has this day been
admitted a Partner in our Firm.
BIRLEY & Co.
Hongkong, January 2, 1868.

NOTICE.
DURING the absence of Mr. J. H. LADD
from the Colony, Mr. T. COUSING
LADD is authorized to sign our firm pro-
curation.
LADD & Co.
Hongkong, January 16, 1868. 11

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
T. K. KUMARASWAMI in our Firm ceased
on the 31st December, 1867.
SANDER & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1868. 25fo

NOTICE.
THE Undersigned having disposed of their
Business as Shipwrights, do, to Messrs
J. McDONALD & Co., being about to
leave the Colony, request all parties having
any CLAIMS against them to send them in
for payment on or before the 10th instant,
and all parties INDEBTED to the Firm
are requested to make immediate Payment.
ROSS THOMPSON & Co.
Spring Gardens, February 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
REFERRING to the above, we beg to
inform the Public that we have taken
over the Business of Messrs Ross Thompson
& Co., and trust by strict attention to Bu-
siness to merit the patronage of the Com-
munity.
J. McDONALD & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1868. 2mar

NOTICE.
MY Business, as Ship and Insurance
Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto
carried on by myself, will henceforward be
conducted under the style or Firm of J. S.
Hook, Son & Co.
J. S. HOOK.
Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

NOTICE.
MR. SIDNEY DEACON is authorized to
sign our Firm pro curation from
this date.
DEACON & Co.
Canton, February 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
MESSRS. H. P. M. WAGHTALS and E.
ALPHE OETMANS ceased to be Part-
ners in our Firm since the 31st December
ultimo.
GAYMANS & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1868. 1mar

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself in business as
Merchant and Commission Agent, under
the style or Firm of KHAKKEE MAHOMED
& Co.
KHAKKEE MAHOMED KUTCHERA.
Hongkong, February 1, 1868. mar2

NOTICE.
DURING the absence of Mr. SHERIFF
KUTCHERA from the Colony, Mr. KHAKKEE
MAHOMED KUTCHERA is authorized to sign
our Firm pro curation.
SHERIFF & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1868. mar2

NOTICE.
AS my Engagement ceases in May next,
all outstanding Accounts for the past
Two Years must be sent in immediately for
payment.
MARY HASTELOW RANDLE,
Superintendent.
Diocesan School,
Hongkong, January 2, 1868. 16my

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of the late Mr.
C. JAMESON in our Firm ceased on the 30th
September last.
The Business will in future be carried on
by Mr. BARTON under the Name or
Style of JAMESON & BARTON, as heretofore.
JAMESON & BARTON.
Hongkong, January 2, 1868. 2ap

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of
SUGUNOBU KURIM and HONMUSZEN
DONAMER BHAGOOIA in our Firm ceased
on 31st December, 1867.
SHERIFF & Co.
Hongkong, February 1, 1868. mar2

NOTICE.
THE interest and responsibility of Mr.
W. C. VAN OORDE in our firm ceased
on the 1st January, 1868.
BOSMAN & Co.
Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

NOTICE.
I have this day established myself as a Ge-
neral Commission Merchant under the
style or firm of VAN OORDE & Co.
(Sd)
W. C. VAN OORDE.
Yokohama, October 24, 1867. 11

NOTICE.
I HAVE established myself at this port as
General Commission Merchant, under the
Style and Firm of GIFFORD F. PARKER
& Co.
GIFFORD FORBES PARKER.
Saloon, December 20, 1867.

Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.
FROM and after this date, Captain J. O.
SAUNDERS will undertake the Business
of my Marine Surveying at this port.
H. J. DRING,
Marine Surveyor.
Foochow, August 1, 1867. 11

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above, the
business hitherto carried on by
H. J. DRING, Esq. at Foochow will be
conducted by the Underwriter.
J. O. SAUNDERS,
Chop Min,
Pagoda Anchorage,
Foochow.

NOTICE.
I HAVE this day established myself in
Business as a Commission Agent at
Kobe (Hiogo) and Osaka.
WALTER MOURILYAN,
Kobe, January 1, 1868.

NOTICE.
THE Partnership hitherto existing be-
tween DORISIO ROZARIO, ALEXAN-
DRE MARCA, JR. and ANTONIO SANTOS
in the Printing Office at Foochow, was
dissolved on the 12th November, 1867.
ROZARIO & Co.
Foochow, November 16, 1867.

NOTICE.
WITH reference to the above, the Busi-
ness hitherto carried on by Messrs
ROZARIO & Co. as Printers in Foochow,
will be conducted by the Underwriter, who
have this day established themselves as
Printers under the Firm of ROZARIO, MAR-
CA & Co.
DORISIO ROZARIO,
ALEXANDRE MARCA, JR.
Foochow, November 16, 1867. 25fo

NOTICE.
THE Interest and Responsibility of Mr.
W. A. SEVANKOOR in our Firm ceased
yesterday by lapse of time.
BOYD & Co.
Amoy, January 1, 1868. 1ap

FRATEL & WOLFF,
General & Commission Agents.
NAGASAKI.

NOTICE.
MR. RYLE HOLME has been admitted
a partner in our Firm.
GLOYER & Co.
Nagasaki, January 1, 1867.

Auctions.

LAND AUCTION.
BOWRA & Co. will sell by PUBLIC
AUCTION, on
SATURDAY,
the 22nd February, 1868, at Half-past
Three P.M.
On the Ground,—
The Western Moities of Marine Lot
No. 189, measuring North on the Praya
50 feet, South on Middle Street 50 feet,
East on the remaining Section, adjoining
the Gas Works, 225 feet, and West of
Messrs ILLINGWORTH & Co.'s Iron Foundry
225 feet, which piece of GROUND
contains in the whole 11,250 square feet.
Crown Rent, \$120 per annum.
The Eastern Moities next adjoining the
Gas Works will also be put up for Sale,
if sufficient inducement offers.
For further particulars, apply to the
Auctioneers, or to Mr. EDWARD SHARP,
Solicitor, Bank Buildings.
TERMS OF SALE will be made known at
time of sale.
Hongkong, February 13, 1868. 22fo

**IN RE SHERIFF GURIM, A
BANKRUPT.**
JOHN HEARD, AGENTINE HEARD,
JUNIOR, ALBERT FARLEY HEARD,
GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE
FREDERICK WELLES, and ROBERT
INIGUS PRABON, trading under the
Style or Firm of AGENTINE
HEARD AND COMPANY, Plaintiffs.
ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUBBELL,
F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS,—Defendants.

WHEREAS an action has been com-
menced in this Honorable Court at the
Suit of the above-named JOHN HEARD,
AGENTINE HEARD, JUNIOR, ALBERT FARLEY
HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD,
GEORGE FREDERICK WELLES, and ROBERT
INIGUS PRABON, against the above named
ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUBBELL,
F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS,
to recover the sum of Eight thousand five
hundred and sixty-eight Dollars and three
cents, for money received by the said
ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUBBELL,
F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS
for the use of the said Plaintiffs JOHN HEARD,
AGENTINE HEARD, JUNIOR, ALBERT FARLEY
HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE
FREDERICK WELLES, and ROBERT INIGUS
PRABON, and for money found to be
due to the said Plaintiffs by the said
Defendants on an account stated between
them; and it being alleged that the said
ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUBBELL,
F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS
are not reside within this Island or its
Dependencies, a Writ of Foreign Attachment
has been issued, returnable on the
Tenth Day of March next, wherein I, S.
WATSON, of Victoria, in the Island of
Hongkong, Master Mariner, is Garnishee.
Notice is hereby given, that if at any
time before final Judgment in this action,
the said ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W.
HUBBELL, F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL
STURGIS, or any persons on their behalf,
will give the security and notice, and file
the appearance or plea required by the
Ordinance to provide for, and regulate
Process in Action at Law against Persons
absent from the Colony, the said Attach-
ment may be dissolved.
Dated this Twelfth day of February, 1868.
J. E. CALDWELL,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.
Hongkong, Feb. 12, 1868.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.
The Steam-ship
"UNION,"
Captain Toppin, will leave
for the above Ports on Fri-
day next, the 21st instant, at 8 A.M.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868. 21fo

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
The A. British Ship
"NEVILL,"
715 Tons Register.
Apply to
TURNER & Co.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER.
(Australia preferred.)
The A. British Clipper-ship
"OLIVER RAYNER,"
203 Tons Register, J. BUNNEM,
Master, built by Hall, Aberdeen.
Apply to
CARLOWITZ & Co.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

FOR SALE.
PHOTOGRAPHIC APPARATUS, com-
plete.
MULLER & CLAUSSEN.
Hongkong, January 13, 1868.

FOR SALE.
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. have just
received for Sale
A few BRINE SKINS.
Hongkong, February 13, 1868. 28fo

New Advertisements.

JUST LANDED.
Ex P. M. Steamer "CHINA."
DICKLED MACKEREL in kits.
SALMON
Smoked "by the pound."
"BEEF"
Oregon OLDER in 1 dozen cases.
HOMINY in 10 lb. tins.
Corn MEAL.
Salad DRESSING in bottles.
THOS. HUNT & Co.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868. 17mar

FOR SALE.
CHAMPAGNE in quarts and pints.
Duo de Montebello.
Eugene Cliequot.
De St. Marceaux & Co.
Hesse & Co.
Hongkong, February 17, 1868.

NOTICE.
THIS Department will close at 12.30 P.M.
on the Race days.
F. W. MITCHELL,
Collector of Stamp Revenue.
Stamp Office.
Hongkong, Feb. 17, 1868. 19fo

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG-
KONG, IN BANKRUPTCY.**
NOTICE.—SHERIFF GURIM, trading in
Hongkong and Bombay as Merchant,
under the style or Firm of Sheriff and Com-
pany, having been adjudged Bankrupt under
a Commission for the purpose of Bank-
ruptcy filed in the Supreme Court on the
Twelfth day of February, 1868, is hereby
required to surrender himself to the Hon-
orable William Hastings Alexander, Esq.,
the Registrar of the said Supreme Court,
at the first Meeting of Creditors, to be held
before the said Registrar on the Twenty-
seventh day of February, 1868, at 1 o'clock
in the forenoon precisely, at the said Court.
Frederick Jervoy Bullen, Esquire, is the
Official Assignee, and Mr. Francis Innes
Hazelard is the Auditor acting in the Bank-
ruptcy.

At the Meeting the Registrar will receive
the proofs of the Debts of the Creditors,
and the Creditors may choose an Assignee
or Assignees of the Bankrupt's Estate and
Effects.

All persons having in their possession any
of the Effects of the said Bankrupt must
deliver them to the said Official Assignee,
and all Debts due to the Bankrupt must be
paid to the said Official Assignee.
Hongkong, February 16, 1868. 26fo

ARMY CONTRACTS, 1868-1869.
SEALED TENDERS in duplicate, mark-
ed outside "Tenders for Army Con-
tracts," will be received by the Underwriter
until Noon, on WEDNESDAY, the 26th
February, 1868, from persons willing to
contract for the quantities of Commissariat
Supplies, Hospital Supplies, or for the per-
formance of Barrack and Hospital Services,
such as washing and repairing Bedding,
Utensils, &c., as may from time to time be
required for the use of Her Majesty's troops
in the Island of Hongkong or its outposts,
during the year commencing 1st April, 1868.
Forms of Tenders (no other than those in-
sued by the Commissariat will be received)
and Conditions of Contract, with any fur-
ther information that may be required, can
be obtained on application to the Commis-
sariat, Barrack or Purveying Department
for the respective Supplies and Services.
Each Tender to be signed by two respon-
sible persons, willing to become surety for
the party Tendering.
The right of rejecting the lowest or any
Tender is reserved.
REDMOND UNIAKKE,
Dep. Commis. Gen.
Controller's Office, Commissariat,
Hongkong, February 6, 1868. 26fo

**IN THE SUPREME COURT OF
HONGKONG.**
FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.
JOHN HEARD, AGENTINE HEARD,
JUNIOR, ALBERT FARLEY HEARD,
GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE
FREDERICK WELLES, and ROBERT
INIGUS PRABON, trading under the
Style or Firm of AGENTINE
HEARD AND COMPANY, Plaintiffs.
ROBERT L. TAYLOR, HENRY W. HUBBELL,
F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS,—Defendants.

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menced in this Honorable Court at the
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HEARD, GEORGE FARLEY HEARD, GEORGE
FREDERICK WELLES, and ROBERT INIGUS
PRABON, and for money found to be
due to the said Plaintiffs by the said
Defendants on an account stated between
them; and it being alleged that the said
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F. B. HILDBRETH, and RUSSELL STURGIS
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STURGIS, or any persons on their behalf,
will give the security and notice, and file
the appearance or plea required by the
Ordinance to provide for, and regulate
Process in Action at Law against Persons
absent from the Colony, the said Attach-
ment may be dissolved.
Dated this Twelfth day of February, 1868.
J. E. CALDWELL,
Plaintiffs' Attorney.
Hongkong, Feb. 12, 1868.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.
EX "SIR LANCELOT"
BOOTS, from Burrows of Cookham, for
Ladies, Gentlemen and Children.
HATS and HELMETS, from Ellwood
and Christy.
Also,
Kid GLOVES, Lisle THREAD and Cotton
SOCKS, all the new shape COLLARS,
Eureka SHIRTS, Cambric HANDER-
CHEFS, Light Summer TWEEDS and
FLANNELS, Turkish Bath TOWELS,
Bath SPONGES, Hendrie's Choice PER-
FUMES, Xlth Vol. LONDON SOCIETY,
&c., &c.
S. W. BAKER & Co.
Hongkong, February 13, 1868. 1c20

EX "AVON" & "SIR LANCELOT."
CHAMPAGNE, First Quality in Pints
and Quarts.
Apply to
G. DUBOST & Co.
Hongkong, February 15, 1868. 15mar

ROOFING AND SHEATHING FELT.
CONSTANTLY on hand for Sale by the
Undersigned.
ROZARIO & Co.
Hongkong, January 20, 1868.

**SELLING OFF! SELLING OFF!!
SELLING OFF!!!**
GREAT SACRIFICES!!!
SPLENDID BARGAINS!!!

MULLER & CLAUSSEN
BEG to announce that they are Selling
OFF their stocks of the undermentioned
GOODS at Invoice prices, consisting of—
Black Cloth Dress FROCK and Walking
COATS.
Melton and Angola Walking, Shooting
and SAC COATS.
Alpaca and Merino COATS.
Black Dress TROUSERS.
Fancy Buckskin Angora and Tweed
TROUSERS.
Alpaca and Merino TROUSERS.
White and Colored Linen TROUSERS.
Black Dress VESTS.
Buckskin and Angora VESTS.
Merino and Alpaca VESTS.
White Marcella and Linen VESTS.
Colored Linen VESTS.

A large lot of PIECE GOODS, compris-
ing—
Black and Blue Broad CLOTHS and
DOESKINS.
MELTON, BUCKSKIN, ANGOLAS,
TWEEDS and FLANNELS, of
this Season's Patterns.

Also a new assortment of HOSIERY
and SHIRTS of—
LONG CLOTH, with Linen FRONTS, &c.
Silk and Wool SHIRTS.
Merino, Cotton, Lambwool and Flannel
DRAWERS and UNDER VESTS.
Merino, Cotton and Lambwool
HALF HOSE.
LADIES' COTTON HOSE.
Don't Kid and Driving GLOVES.
COLLARS, SCARFS, TIES, Cholera
BELTS and Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS.
Christy's Silk, Shell and Felt HATS,
in the newest Shapes.
Dawson's BOOTS and SHOES.
UMBRELLAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth
and Hair BRUSHES.
PERFUMERY, Fancy SOAPS,
and a great variety of other GOODS.

MULLER AND CLAUSSEN,
Queen's Road.
Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

SAYLE & Co.
Victoria Exchange.
VOLUNT inspection of their NEW
STOCK, specially prepared for the
coming Season, forming the largest and
best assortment of GOODS they have yet
offered.
(Comprising)—
Black Glaces, Plain and Fancy Silks,
at old prices, Linsey, Rep, Wool Plaids,
and all the newest designs of Evening
and Ball Dresses, Embroidered, Printed
and made-up Skirts. Crinolines, Muslin
Embroideries and Laces of all descriptions.
The newest styles in Dress Trimmings.
Ladies' Trimmed HATS and Bonnets.
Flowers, Feathers, Wreaths, etc.
MANTLES and JACKETS
of the newest designs and materials.
The Millinery and Dress Making
Departments are under the management
of two experienced West End assistants.
The Tailoring Department is now well
supplied with every description of Cloth
for Autumn Wear, including Blue, Black
and Scarlet Broad Cloths.

Blue and Black DOESKINS,
Naval and Military CLOTHS,
3/4 and 6/4 TWEEDS and
Doeskins, Witneys, Beavers, &c.
Ladies and Gentlemen's
Hosiery of all descriptions.
Ladies and Gentlemen's
Kid Gloves from well-known
Makers.

**TIES and SCARFS in great
variety.**
Felt Tapestry and Brussels
Carpets, Matting and Floor
Cloths.

Ladies and Gentlemen's
Hosiery of all makes.
Latest Styles.
Household Linens of every
description.
Black and Drab Felt HATS,
Black and Drab Paris and
Beaver Dress Hats.
Hongkong, September 24, 1867.

NOTICE.
THE Steamers "PRINCE ALBERT"
and "SIR JAMES FERGUSON"
are withdrawn from the Canton
River as Night Boats until further notice.
Hongkong, November 15, 1867.

New Advertisements.

EX "SIR LANCELOT"
BOOTS, from Burrows of Cookham, for
Ladies, Gentlemen and Children.
HATS and HELMETS, from Ellwood
and Christy.
Also,
Kid GLOVES, Lisle THREAD and Cotton
SOCKS, all the new shape COLLARS,
Eureka SHIRTS, Cambric HANDER-
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<i>Mameluke,</i>	7
<i>Sultan,</i>	1
<i>Jim Crow,</i>	2
<i>King Theodore,</i>	3
<i>Lord Lyon,</i>	5
<i>Jim Crow</i>	7

...passing the stand the first time was four or five lengths ahead, but before reaching the Rock he did away completely and unhappily to the rear. *Mameluke, Sultan* and *Jim Crow*, now separated from the rest, and the race evidently lay between them, the others being nowhere. At the stage *Mameluke* went to the front, *Sultan* closing close to his quarter and *Jim Crow* well in. Turning up the straight *Mameluke* crossed *Sultan* and *Jim Crow*, and from the stand appeared that a foul mist had occurred. *Mameluke* took the rails, and passed to the east at length and a half ahead of *Sultan*, who beat *Jim Crow* by about the same distance for second place. Our surmise respecting the foul was correct, for, upon repeating to weigh, *Sultan's* Jockey lodged a protest against the rider of *Mameluke* and the case will go to the stewards for decision. It is believed that the decision of the stewards is, that *Mameluke* is "distanced."]

7.—The Lusitanian Cup, value \$200, presented by the Members of the Club, is consistent for all Horses. Weights: Arabs, 11; Colonials, 10st.; English, 11st. Entrance \$10. One mile and a quarter. 8 entries.

<i>Exeter,</i>	1
<i>Hadjí,</i>	2

Only *Exeter* and *Hadjí* starting for this race, of course the result was never for a moment in doubt, *Exeter* outstriking all the way, won with ridiculous ease.

8.—The Subscription Cup, presented, value \$300, for China ponies only. Entrance \$10. Weights: 9st. 12 lbs. Two miles. 13 entries.

Seven started.—A pretty fair start was made and at the distance past all the ponies were fairly together; passing the stand and the first time *Commendrum* was leading, *Rejected* second, *Blue Bird* and *Compsia* following up the rear. *Mors aux Dents* at the back began to run through the rack and break down, and shortly afterwards fell down up the first. *Alarm* and *Rejected* followed, and third, *Compsia* lying close behind them. *Mors aux Dents* continued to hold the lead, *Alarm* second, and *Rejected* third, and this order was maintained in passing the stand the second time. *Commendrum* ran out badly at the turn by the bridge, and when he rejoined the others fell away. At the village *Mors aux Dents* still led, closely followed by *Rejected*, and *Compsia* who had advanced passed into third place, collared *Alarm* and had half way up the straight; and passed up rapidly to the front, but failed to reach him, *Mors* winning by three quarters of a length. *Die Duck* last. Alexander declared to win with *Alarm*.

ERRORS OF THE PRESS.—Verbal blunders of an times ludicrous enough, as when a writer, intending to speak of Cato and Brutus, is made to speak of cats and brutes; another, as happened recently, announces the publication of a work "in the form of a five shilling pamphlet," meaning a five shilling pamphlet. A long list of errors of this kind might be enumerated, and not a few of them have become stock errors, or material for jokes in the printing office. Some of these are "full blown roses," instead of "full blown roses," he "avowed and shook off his ears," instead of "he shook off his ears," "force imputed," instead of "Force literature," "the syllabub," instead of "syllabus," "conlet," instead of "conulet," with not a few which, current in the printing office, need not circulate beyond it. Many of the verbal errors are in kind which will escape the ken of the most watchful reader, because though they are spoken or printed, they do not destroy it. Thus, "distraction" is often printed "destruction," and "the very day" is sometimes printed "the very day," and "a recall of emotions" is printed "a recall of emotions" instead of his "violet color," instead of his "violet color." Again, there are verbal errors, for which accident alone is to blame; as, in a costly edition of Moore's poems, the of the verses begins: "A sease makes heart fond," the b in absence having crept out of the printers' form between the lines. Another accident, accounts for the following: "cold foot," in the carte of a nobleman's house in the city. During the war with Russia, an announcement in a government blue book, stating that "our troops marched across Belbec and drawn up in front of the north ports," declared in its next issue that the troops "had marched across the Baltic and drawn up in front of the North Foreland." —*Leisure Hour*.

JUR BLACK DESCENDANTS.—At a meeting of anthropologists, which has also an ethnological character, at Paris lately, M. Quatrefages, who is sometimes called the great savant, raised the question of the origin of the first inhabitants of Europe were white or black. M. Quatrefages thinks that the whites preceded everywhere the negroes, who descended from them. The anthropological argument, says the British Medical Journal, which he invokes in favour of his opinion is the following. All travellers who have lived in countries where only negro race dwell, have remarked that the children and young were born of paler colour than the adults of the same type. Thus, says M. Quatrefages, is to be explained by the influence of white ancestors, and the negro type especially amongst negro descendants. This reappearance of the ancestral type is what is called atavism; and, as black children are never amongst the white race, it must be conceded that, if the negroes descend from the whites, the whites do not descend from the negroes.

What is a flea like a locomotive? If the

